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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: **Masaru KUMAZAWA**

Serial No.: **Not Yet Assigned**

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For: **PRINTER CONTROLLER, PRINTING SYSTEM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM THEREFOR**

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**CLAIM FOR PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

The benefit of the filing date of the following prior foreign application is hereby requested for the above-identified application, and the priority provided in 35 U.S.C. 119 is hereby claimed:

**Japanese Appln. No. 10-184195, filed on June 30, 1998**

In support of this claim, the requisite certified copy of said original foreign application is filed herewith.

It is requested that the file of this application be marked to indicate that the applicant has complied with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 119 and that the Patent and Trademark Office kindly acknowledge receipt of said document.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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